

ACADEMIC CALENDAR YEAR 2023-2024

AUGUST 2023 – as of 6-7-23

2nd	PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
7th	<u>New school families:</u> Meet Mrs. Brummer, our principal, and pick up your Parent Registration Packet in the gym from 6-7pm. Our faculty will be on hand. She will be speaking about the upcoming school year.
7th - 11th	Parent Registration Packet Pickup at the School Office from 8am – Noon
8th	School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
11th	Faculty Meeting – Breakfast at 8:30am, Meeting from 9:00am – Noon in the Parish Enrichment Center
13th	Annual Parish/School Families Potluck Picnic - held on the school grounds from Noon – 4:00pm
14th	Faculty Institute Day – Teachers work in their classrooms <u>Back to School Night – New and current school families:</u> Return your registration paperwork from 6pm-7:30pm in the gym. Payment for the Hot Lunch Program, Before/After School Care Service, and Tuition payments/arrangements will be made at this time as well. There will also be classroom open house . Students may bring in their school supplies.
15th	All City Faculty Mass at St. Patrick's Church at 8:00am KC Hall Breakfast following Mass Holiday Day of Obligation (Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary)
16th	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL - Full Day of Attendance for all Grades PK3-8th Hot Lunch begins and Before/After Extended Care is available
17th	Back to School Mass for students at 2:00pm (This is every Thursday at 2:00pm – see School Speak monthly calendar)
24th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
25th	Field Trip – Grades 6-8 – Rock Springs Retreat/Team Building 11am – 2:00pm
31st	Student School Mass – 2:00pm

SEPTEMBER 2023

	MAP Testing Fall Session – September 1-29
4th	NO SCHOOL Labor Day Holiday
5th	Tornado Drill at 10:00am Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8)
6th	PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
7th	Student School Mass – 8:30am (Grandparents welcome) Grandparents Day – Visit school from 9:30 – 11:30am
12th	School Picture Day School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
13th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting
14th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
21st	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
25th	8th Grade Retreat – all day at Little Gallilee near Clinton, IL
28th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm

OCTOBER 2023

3rd	Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8)
4th	Diocesan Mission Mass in Springfield at 11:00am – Grades 5 and 6 PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
5th	School Picture Re-take Day Student School Mass – 2:00pm
9th	NO SCHOOL Columbus Day Holiday
10th	School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
11th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting
12th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
13th	End of the 1st Quarter Grading Period St. Teresa Discipleship Day
16th	2nd Quarter Grading Period Begins
16th - 20th	Scholastic Book Fair in the school lobby
19th	11:00am Dismissal Parent-Teacher Conferences 3:00pm - 6:30pm
20th	NO SCHOOL Parent-Teacher Conferences 8:00am - 11:00am
26th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
28th	Diocesan Year of the Eucharist – BOS Center in Springfield, IL
31st	Last day for wearing uniform shorts

NOVEMBER 2023

1st	Student School Mass – 2:00pm – Holy Day of Obligation (All Saints Day) PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
2nd	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
3rd	NO SCHOOL – Fall Break
6th	NO SCHOOL – Fall Break
7th	Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8) School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
8th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting
9th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
16th	Student School Mass – 8:30am St. Teresa Fall Play at Noon – Jr. High attending
21st	Reconciliation – 12:30pm – 2:30pm (Grades 3-8)
22nd – 24th	NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break
26th	Advent Begins
28th	LOL School Spelling Bee
30th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm

DECEMBER 2023

5th	Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8)
6th	PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
7th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
8th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm – Holy Day of Obligation (Immaculate Conception)
12th	School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
13th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting
14th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
21st	End of 2nd Quarter Grading Period Student School Mass – 8:30am 1:30am Dismissal - Being Christmas Break
December 22nd thru January 7th, 2024	NO SCHOOL Christmas Break

JANUARY 2024

8th	CLASSES RESUME All Decatur Catholic Schools Spelling Bee held at OLOL 3:30pm in Enrichment Center 3rd Quarter Grading Period Begins
9th	School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
10th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting (planning CSW activities) PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
11th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
15th	NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King Jr. Day
18th	8th Grade Formal Photos for Class Composite Student School Mass – 2:00pm
25th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
January 28th thru February 2nd	Catholic Schools Week of activities

FEBRUARY 2024

1st	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
2nd	11:00am Dismissal for CSW
6th	Adoration from 1-2:45pm
7th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
8th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
9th	7th Grade Retreat – all day in the Parish Enrichment Center
12th	Celebrate the Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes with a rosary
13th	School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
14th	ASH WEDNESDAY - Student School Mass at 2:00pm
15th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
19th	NO SCHOOL Presidents' Day
20th	Lenten Reconciliation for Grades 2-8
22nd	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
27th	Parish Confirmation and First Communion for Grade 3 held in Springfield, IL
28th	Grade 3 students only – NO SCHOOL due to Confirmation ceremony the night before
29th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm

MARCH 2024

5th	Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8)
6th	PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
7th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
8th	11:00am Dismissal – Spring Break
11th	NO SCHOOL – Spring Break
12th	School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
13th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting
14th	All School Rosary – 9:00am in the gym Student School Mass – 2:00pm
15th	End of 3rd Quarter Grading Period Celebrate St. Patrick's Day
18th	4th Quarter Grading Period Begins
19th	School Spring Picture Day Diocesan March for Life in Springfield, IL
21st	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
27th	11:00am Dismissal – Easter Break
28th -29th	NO SCHOOL – Holy Thursday and Good Friday – Easter Break

APRIL 2024

	MAP Testing Spring Session April 15-29th
1st – 3rd	NO SCHOOL Easter Break
4th	Uniform shorts may be worn to school Student School Mass – 2:00pm
9th	Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8) School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
10th	2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
11th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
12th	NO SCHOOL – Teacher Retreat – held in Springfield, IL
16th	Field Trip Grade 7 – Mission to Mars at Heartland Community College
18th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm – Receive 8th Grade Class Ribbons
19th	8th Grade Class Trip – St. Louis, MO
25th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm – Christian Leadership Awards (K-8)

MAY 2024

1st	Student School Mass – 2:00pm – May Crowning 1st & 8th Grade PTO Meeting – 6pm in the School Library
2nd	Student School Mass – 2:00pm
7th	Adoration from 1-2:45pm (Grades K-8) School Advisory Board Meeting at 6:00pm in the Enrichment Center
8th	8th Grade Class of 2024 – Last Day of Attendance – Car Parade at 12:30pm 2:00pm Dismissal for Faculty Meeting
9th	Student School Mass – 2:00pm 8th Grade Graduation – 6:00pm in the Church
14th	11:00am Dismissal for PK3 and PK4 only – Last Day of Attendance PK4 Graduation Ceremony in the Parish Enrichment Center at 9:30am PK3/PK4 no early Extended Care after dismissal on this day.
15th	Student Mission Walk fundraiser
16th	Student Field Day Fun
17th	Student School Mass – 8:30am Awards Day for Grades 3-7 at 9:30pm in the gym End of 4th Quarter Grading Period 11:00am Dismissal – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL for K-7th